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# **ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEWS COMPLETED**

Project reviews completed from March 16 to April 15 are listed below. These projects have been screened through the internal environmental review process for potential impacts on wetlands, threatened and endangered species, and cultural and archaeological resources, etc. Through the review process it was determined that environmental impacts have been kept to a minimum and mitigated as necessary, that they do not meet the criteria for significant actions as defined in the environmental review process, and may proceed. All these projects are in compliance with the Endangered Species Protection Act, Natural Areas Preservation Act, Interagency Wetlands Policy Act and cultural resource statutes.

### Old Shawneetown State Historic Site

1908840 - This project will replace roofs on 2 picnic shelters and 1 restroom building in the day use area at the Old Shawneetown Bank. Project was submitted for review on 3-15-19.

### Starved Rock State Park

1905820 – This project involves creating an ADA accessible trail system behind the existing cabins at he park. Project was submitted for review on 12-11-18.

### I&M Canal/Gebhard Woods State Park

1904431 - This project is an amended CERP requesting to replace a wooden shake roof with asphalt architectural shingles, while still replacing the decking in kind. Project was submitted for review on 10-29-18.

## Mississippi River State Fish & Wildlife Area

1908920 - This project involves demolition and disposal of the Kampsville Inn. Project was submitted for review on 3-20-19.

### LaSalle Lake State Fish & Wildlife Area

1908936 - This project involves installation of a replacement entrance sign. Project was submitted for review on 3-20-19.

### Mt. Vernon Game Farm

1908940 - This project consists of exterior repairs to the existing site residence. Project was submitted for review on 3-20-19.

# Fogelpole Cave Nature Preserve

1907192 - This project involves drainage upgrades on adjacent land, with a 6-8" drain tile daylighting on IDNR land. Drainage improvements will aid in reduction of sedimentation of a cave entrance. Project was submitted for review on 1-28-19.

# Pere Marquette State Park

1511751 - This project is a renewal of a previous CERP review for rehabilitation of an existing Class A campground dump station and a possible addition of an alternate dump station. Project was originally submitted for review on 4-27-15.

### Starved Rock State Park

1909042 - This project involves replacement of an existing air conditioning unit located within the attic of the lodge. Project was originally submitted for review on 3-22-19.

### Illinois Vietnam Veterans Memorial

1909112- This project involves emergency repairs to the Memorials gas line. Project was submitted for review on 3-25-19.

# Shelby State Fish & Wildlife Area

1909064- This project consists of levee stabilization at the McGee Waterfowl Area . Project was originally submitted for review on 3-25-19.

# Fork Kaskaskia State Historic Site

1909152 - This project involves removal of an underground storage tank. Project was submitted for review on 3-26-19.

### I&M Canal-Marseilles

1906695 - This project involves installation of water and sewer lines across the canal to reach an area intended for industrial development. Project was submitted for review on 1-15-19.

### Kickapoo State Park

1907749 - This project involves roof maintenance at two shelters and the maintenance shop. Project was submitted for review on 2-13-19.

### Walnut Point State Park

1907179 – This project involves roof replacement on the office/maintenance building and the group camp shelter. Project was submitted for review on 1-28-19.

# Mautino State Fish & Wildlife Area

1908934 — This project involves park road improvements and reconstruction of an existing wier and culvert. Project was submitted for review on 3-20-19.

# Apple River Canyon State Park

1909210 – This project involves granting access to a pipeline easement for NICOR to conduct test bores to prepare for future gas line replacement. Project was submitted for review on 3-27-19.

### I&M Canal

0713915 – This project is a CERP reauthorization for roof rehabilitation on the Seneca Weigh Scale Building. Project was originally submitted for review on 5-1-2007.

# Sanganois State Fish & Wildlife Area

1909228 — This project involves removal of a deteriorated culvert and backfilling with rip rap. Project was submitted for review on 3-28-19.

### Red Hills State Park

1909073 — This project involves installation of a firebreak, creating a burn unit on the north side of the park. Project was submitted for review on 3-25-19

### Gillespie Prairie State Natural Area

1907981 – This project involves installation of an 8" underground water pipeline by directional boring methodology. Project was submitted for review on 2/20/19.

# Kickapoo State Park

1909298 – This project involves culvert replacement on county right-of-way with minor grading to occur on IDNR land. Project was submitted for review on 4-1-19.

# Kickapoo Trail

1609740 – This project involves construction of 3.3 mile long trail on an abandoned rail line. Project was submitted for review on 4-20-16.

### Iroquois County State Wildlife Area

1908325 - This project involves park road and parking

lot improvements. No new roads or parking areas are part of this project. Project was submitted for review on 3-4-19.

### Buel House State Historic House

1909291 – This project involves repair work to the east addition on the house. Project was submitted for review on 4-1-19.

### Eldon Hazlet State Park

1908438 — This project involves improvements to various portions of the existing park roads and parking areas. Project was submitted for review on 3-6-19.

# Fox Ridge State Park

1909438 – This project involves demolition of the Cardinal Cabin . Project was submitted for review on 4-5-19

## Horseshoe Lake State Fish & Wildlife Area

1910087—This project consists of constructing a 20' wide aggregate surface access road around portions of Eastside Drive that regularly flood, cutting off access to private landowners and INDR. This project was submitted for review on 4-23-2019.

# Stephen A. Forbes State Park

1608236—This project will construct a new parking lot and bathroom facilities for daytime access to the equestrian trails on the site. This project was submitted for review on 3-08-2016.

### Eldon Hazlet State Recreation Area

1909242—This project will construct new standard IDNR block Vault Toilets at seventeen locations within Eldon Hazlet State Park. This project was submitted for review on 3-29-2019.

### **Questions and Comments**

All questions and comments about the environmental review process or this newsletter should be directed to:

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